

Strange Phenomena

INVESTIGATIONS

*"We must seek to answer
that which at present
eludes us."*

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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

Those of you who have been following SPI's quest to obtain further documents pertaining to UFO incidents in the UK from The Ministry Of Defence in London, may like to know that the alledged cover up documents, (Including the M.J. I2 Documents which show clearly that President Dwight D Eisenhower and Harry Truman, were very much aware of UFO sightings in 1947, and of which were passed on to Martin O Neil, the Scottish Labour Defence spokesman for his perusal, have been asked for by the Ministry of Defence itself). Apparently when Martin O Neil wrote to the MOD on my behalf requesting the release of any further documents, he informed them that I had certain documents myself which apparently showed this alledged American Government Cover Up. The MOD were very keen to see these documents, and to this purpose asked Martin to send them on to London. What is strange, at least to my mind, is the fact that, these M.J. I2 Documents were widely available within UFO organisations throughout the UK. Surely the MOD would know this. And furthermore, a good few British Newspapers printed extracts from these documents. One would think therefore that the MOD would be aware of all this, so why the need to ask to see my copy? SPI will keep you posted.

SPI 1987 RESEARCH YEAR REPORT.

My research report concerning the work of which SPI were party to in 1987 is now complete and can be obtained by sending a cheque or postal order to the sum of £2 00, made payable to Malcolm Robinson Send to Editorial Address.

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SPI RESEARCHER ON RADIO.

SPI's very own Ron Halliday from Bridge Of Allan, was featured on Radio Scotland's 'Jimmy Mack Show' on January 27th. A lively discussion centering around Ron's new booklet, "Mysteries Of The Scottish Landscape" ensued, and I'm sure that Jimmy found it all quite intriguing. Russell Hunter, (Lonely) to Callan fans, phoned BBC Radio Scotland asking Ron for further details of his booklet, as did a number of other callers, (potential members for SPI?). Ron's booklet, "Mysteries Of The Scottish Landscape", can be obtained for 65p from 35 Fountain Road Bridge Of Allan Stirlingshire.

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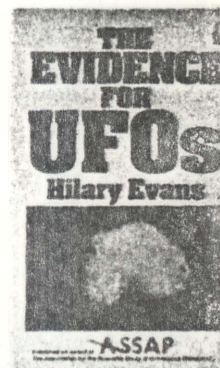
THE ALIEN LINE ?

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Still on radio. On January 23rd, BBC Radio One featured, intermixed on one of its early morning programmes, 'The Alien Line'. This gave listeners the opportunity to phone in with their strange experiences. The most silly of these was a story concerning a talking dog. Apparently this dog woke up from a peaceful sleep on its owners couch just as the music for 'East-Enders' was playing. The dog then proceeded to utter the remark, "Oh no not this rubbish again", and to the owners astonishment went back to sleep. Radio One's D.J. was informed that it hasn't talked since. Is it any wonder that the subject of the Paranormal is not taken seriously when one hears stories like this?

THE EVIDENCE FOR UFOs.

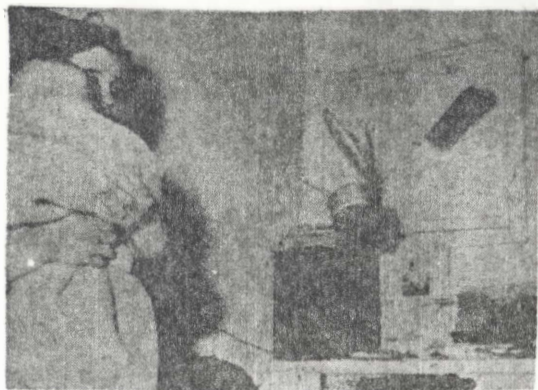
One of many books which are available by writing to Lionel Beer, address on sheet two.



Recent attendances at SPI meetings in Stirling have not been so encouraging and so we believe that to rectify this SPI should hold meetings in Dundee, Perth, Edinburgh (etc), in an attempt to attract people along who may not only want to join SPI, but who now would have the opportunity to relate their own strange experiences. Many people do not know who to turn to with experiences of the paranormal, and so by taking SPI on the road, we may give them this opportunity to do so. Members will be informed on the outcome of this new SPI approach.

▲ BUFORA CONGRESS 1989. ▲

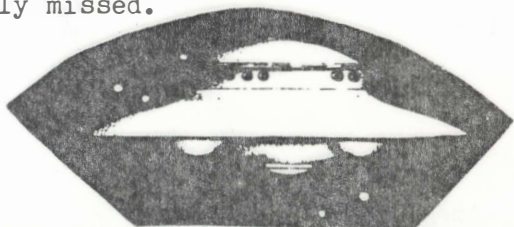
BUFORA, (The British Unidentified Flying Object Research Association), are holding their fifth International UFO Congress in London in 1989. As yet, no fixed date or venue has been set, however I say to SPI members, start saving NOW for this not to be missed event. More details when known.



French woman Teresa Costa & baby experience Poltergeist effect. (1955)

CHARLES BOWEN.

It is my sad duty to inform SPI readers through this newsletter, of the passing of Charles Bowen. Charles was formerly the editor of FSR, (Flying Saucer Review). Charles passed on the 14th October 1987. Charles was also a pioneer researcher into the UFO enigma whose enthusiasm and dedication in trying to answer the UFO riddle was very prevalent, he will be sadly missed.



SPI have fixed up for those interested in the paranormal, a series of lectures. These lectures aim to inform not only SPI members, but the general public of the many variations regarding the paranormal. It is SPI's aim to include further speakers during the year, names & dates will be given when available. For now though, take note of the following.

Andrew Davie on 'GEO RHEOLOGY' APRIL 8th.
Steuart Campbell on 'The Livingston UFO Incident' ? APRIL 23rd.
Charles Heath, 'Modern Witchcraft In Scotland', MAY 26th
Professor Archie Roy on 'Explaining The Paranormal' October 28th.

These lectures are at the COWANE CENTRE in Stirling, and all commence at 7pm till 8.15pm. Price: Adults 65p Under 16's 35p Hope to see you there, bring along a friend



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RIDDLE OF E.T. SKELETON.

This was the headline from the Daily Star on Saturday January 30th. It concerned a horror find by Phil Carlin (22) of a small mummified skeleton with fierce claw like teeth. This was uncovered during renovation work being carried out on a 112 year old Unitarian Church in Nottingham. Phil related to Star reporter, "I lifted a floor board and there it was just staring at me at first I thought that it might be a gargoyle that had fallen off the church wall, but it was the remains of something that was once alive I reckon". Your editor quickly got on to this story and spoke with a chap from the Brewhouse Yard Museum in Nottingham. Astonishingly he was not aware of this find, he knew of the work being carried out in the church and has promised SPI a full enquiry into this story, we await his reply. Pity I couldn't show you the photo from the Star, 'what a sight'.

IN CLOSING.

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